

STATE OF ARIZONA DEPARTMENT OF LIQUOR LICENSES AND CONTROL

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RENEWAL UPDATE

The Arizona Department of Liquor Licenses & Control has implemented a new change on the renewal applications for all 21 liquor licenses.

A new question has been added to the renewal applications, which was created to maintain the integrity of the license, to verify the licensee is capable, qualified, and reliable, and most importantly for the safety of our communities around the state of Arizona.

Licensees will notice the new question that states the following:

Has an agent, owner, partner, LLC manager, member, corporate officer, director or shareholder, holding 10 percent or more interest in any license/licensee, been cited, arrested, indicted, convicted, or summoned into court for violation of any criminal law or ordinance, regardless of the disposition, even if dismissed or expunged within the past five (5) years?

If the answer is "Yes", for any one of the persons or positions cited, the respective individual must provide a signed statement that is to be included with the application at the time of submission, giving complete details including dates, agencies involved, and dispositions. A "Yes" response may delay the renewal process up to 2 weeks while the application is reviewed.

Discretion by the Director will be exercised for approval of the renewal. The renewal will be issued only after the Director has determined that all requirements are met for the industry and for the best interest of our communities.